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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Si Lok, James L. Holloway

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Group Art Unit

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Examiner

: Brannock, M.

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: HUMAN V2 VOMERONASAL RECEPTOR

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: January 18, 2005

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 16, 2004 be extended for a period of five months from August 16, 2004 to January 18, 2005, since January 16th fell on a Sunday, and January 17, 2005 was a national holiday.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$1,080.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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